

DELAWARE STATE POLICE TROOPER APPLICATION PACKET

Return completed application to:

**Delaware State Police
P.O. Box 430
Dover, DE 19903-0430**

**Recruitment Office
(302) 739-5980 or 739-7846
dsprecruiting@state.de.us**

NOTICE: Applications must be typewritten or clearly printed in ink. Applications which are not complete and legible will not be considered. Use additional sheet if the allotted space is insufficient for a complete answer. If the question is not applicable, mark it "N/A".

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Name _____
Last First MI Nickname Maiden

Mailing Address _____
Street Address
City State Zip County (if in DE)

Residence Address (if different) _____

Home Phone (_____) _____ Work Phone (_____) _____

Pager Number (_____) _____ Cell Phone (_____) _____

Date of Birth ____/____/____ E-mail Address _____

Drivers License ____/____/____ Social Security Number ____-____-____
State Number

Current Employer(s) _____ Position _____
_____ Position _____

Education: Check highest block applicable

☐ 30 Credits ☐ 60 Credits ☐ AA Degree ☐ Bachelor's Degree ☐ Master's Degree

College: _____ From ____ To ____ Total Credits or Degree _____

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Major(s): _____

Police experience: ☐ No ☐ Full-time ☐ Part-time ☐ Seasonal ☐ Military Police

Department: _____ Length of employment _____

Armed Forces: ☐ Yes ☐ Active Duty- Length of service: _____

☐ No ☐ Reserve- Length of service: _____

Branch: _____ Honorable Discharge: ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A

Have you ever applied for employment as a Trooper with the Delaware State Police?

☐ No
☐ Yes If yes, what year(s)? _____

**In order to determine if you satisfy the minimum qualifications for the position of
Delaware State Trooper, please answer the following questions:**

Check One

I am a U.S. citizen - If naturalized: (_____)
(Date) (Country of Origin)

☐ TRUE ☐ FALSE

I have a high school diploma or GED.

☐ TRUE ☐ FALSE

I have at least 60 semester credit hours from an accredited college,
Or, 30 college credits and a minimum of two years active duty military service,
with an Honorable Discharge.
Or, 30 college credits and have served at least two years as a full-time,
Delaware-certified, police officer.

☐ TRUE ☐ FALSE

I have a valid driver's license with at least one year of driving experience.

☐ TRUE ☐ FALSE

I have a visual acuity no worse than 20/40,
Or, it is 20/40, but correctable to 20/20 with glasses or contacts,
Or, it is no worse than 20/100, correctable to 20/20 with soft contact lenses.

☐ TRUE ☐ FALSE

I have **not** had a DUI conviction within the past 5 years.

☐ TRUE ☐ FALSE

I have **not** had my driver's license suspended or revoked within the past 3 years.

☐ TRUE ☐ FALSE

I have **never** been convicted of a felony.

☐ TRUE ☐ FALSE

I have **not** used an illegal drug within the past two years.

☐ TRUE ☐ FALSE

I have **never** taken a hallucinogenic drug. (E.g. LSD, mushrooms, PCP, ecstasy)

☐ TRUE ☐ FALSE

I **understand** that all criminal arrests must be pardoned (if convicted) or expunged
(if found not guilty, dismissed, or nolle pros.) prior to submitting this application.

☐ TRUE ☐ FALSE

**I have reviewed the minimum qualifications for the position of Delaware State
Trooper and certify that to the best of my knowledge I meet the requirements.**

☐ TRUE ☐ FALSE

**IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE, ALL RESPONSES TO THE ABOVE QUESTIONS
MUST BE TRUTHFULLY ANSWERED YES OR TRUE**

<p>Please read carefully before signing and dating below</p>

I hereby certify that the answers given by me to the previous questions in this application, and the statements made by me, are in full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that any false information, omissions, or misrepresentation of facts in this application, or during the testing and selection process, may be cause for rejection of my application or discharge at any time during my employment.

Employment in the Delaware State Police is at the will of the employer. No offer of employment, benefit, or statement of work conditions, rules or regulations should be construed or otherwise interpreted as an implied contract for continuing employment.

I hereby authorize release of any information pertaining to potential employment as a Delaware State Police Officer and agree to hold harmless any individual, business, or association, who in good faith, provides information including but not limited to matters concerning employment, education, criminal activity, personality and character traits, financial matters, associations and relationships, and behavioral background. In the event that I receive a conditional offer of employment, the above statement shall also pertain to matters including medical and psychological factors.

I further authorize the Delaware State Police to utilize or release any information obtained during the employment process at its discretion, not only for employment purposes but also for normal police activity and operations including criminal investigation.

Date _____

Signature of Applicant _____

What prompted you to apply for a Delaware State Police Trooper position?

☐ Recruitment team
☐ Family / Friend
☐ Trooper _____
(Name, if known)

☐ Television
☐ Newspaper
☐ Radio

☐ Job Fair
☐ Internet
☐ Other _____

How did you obtain this application?

☐ DSP Troop/Headquarters

☐ Mail

☐ Website

☐ Job Fair If so, location? _____

☐ Other _____

Federal Equal Opportunity Guidelines authorizes asking candidates to **voluntarily** submit information on their ethnic background and gender. **This information will be used for statistical purposes only.**

Sex

☐ Male

☐ Female

Ethnic Background

☐ Caucasian

☐ Native American

☐ Black

☐ Pacific Islander

☐ Hispanic

☐ Other _____

☐ Asian

☐ Unknown